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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### COVID-19 Updates

The Office of Strategic Communications has developed a website with information regarding FHSU's response to the coronavirus pandemic. This includes FAQ's for faculty, staff, students and university stakeholders, a record of university updates, as well as recommendations and resources for health and wellness. Please see the website: <https://www.fhsu.edu/covid-19-response>

## **TILT Tip: Streamline Multimedia Resources to Tidy Up Your Online Courses**

Are you ready to clean up your courses for fall? Start by tackling multimedia resources. Evaluate each resource, in terms of alignment with learning outcomes. Omitting media pieces that are not clearly aligned with objectives will improve course organization. Learn more about "How to tidy up your online course" : <https://forthaysstate.curatr3.com/courses/course-tidying/home>

## **Calendar: Upcoming Professional Development Opportunities**

Check out upcoming professional development opportunities! The TILT TigerLearn event calendar is your go-to for professional development at FHSU! Check it out here: <http://tigerlearn.fhsu.edu/events/>.

To provide faculty and staff with one easy place to see all professional development at FHSU, we're happy to include your event on the TigerLearn calendar. We can include links to your registration site, contact persons for questions, etc. Just contact [TILT-FacultyDev@fhsu.edu](mailto:TILT-FacultyDev@fhsu.edu), and we'll add your event right away!

## **Tiger Food Pantry**

FHSU Food and Hunger Initiatives

The Tiger Food Pantry is currently located in the Meadowlark Room of the Memorial Union, and is accessible from 8:30am-10:30am MWF. If you are interested in donating food items please contact Bob Duffly through email at [Rduffy@fhsu.edu](mailto:Rduffy@fhsu.edu).

## **Bigcat.fhsu.edu Decommissioning in August!**

Technology Services is decommissioning the old production webserver, also known as Bigcat (bigcat.fhsu.edu). Most of the content on Bigcat is no longer used, however, we believe some content is still active and in use. If you are still actively using, updating, or linking to content on this server, you must reach out to [Earl Ruder](#) in University Relations and Marketing to have this content migrated as soon as possible.

Effective on **Friday May 29<sup>th</sup>**, the content will be frozen and no updates will be allowed on bigcat.fhsu.edu.

On **Monday, August 10<sup>th</sup>**, all remaining content will be archived and the server will be decommissioned. Requests for archived content to be migrated after August 10<sup>th</sup> can be directed to Earl Ruder.

If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to Earl at [earl.ruder@fhsu.edu](mailto:earl.ruder@fhsu.edu) or by phone at (628)-4070.

## **The Department of Political Science Challenges Academic Departments to Donate to Food and Hunger Initiative**

In honor of our graduating seniors and MLS students, our Department has donated \$250 to our on-campus Food and Hunger Initiatives. Although we challenge departments across campus, any contribution would be great to help our students! Together, let's make a change!

For more information, contact Krissy Allacher at [kkallacher@fhsu.edu](mailto:kkallacher@fhsu.edu) for more information.

## Admissions Office Offering Both Virtual AND On-Campus Visits

Beginning June 15<sup>th</sup>, the Admissions Office will begin hosting both virtual AND on-campus visits! Here's what that means:

Students may sign up for a virtual visit OR on-campus visit at [www.fhsu.edu/visit](http://www.fhsu.edu/visit)

- On-campus: Students will meet with admissions counselors and tour campus. Academic visits will remain virtual.
- Virtual: Visits will include admissions counselor and academic department Zoom or phone calls.

**\*\*please note that we are only offering the morning visit option on Fridays for the duration of the university summer schedule.**

If you have any questions, please contact Carolyn Tatro, Senior Admissions Counselor, at x5667 or [catatro@fhsu.edu](mailto:catatro@fhsu.edu)

## New Class Section Available

If you or a student are looking for a wonderful general education humanities credit and have an interest in art, please consider enrolling in **ART 201 B, Survey of Art History I which will be on TT from 3:00–4:15 pm.** Due to popular demand, we are now offering another section which will be held in the Center for Art and Design, Room 103.

## Promotion and Tenure Timelines

The 2020-2021 promotion and tenure timelines are now available on the Office of the Provost's site: [https://www.fhsu.edu/academic/provost/tenure\\_promotion\\_timelines/index](https://www.fhsu.edu/academic/provost/tenure_promotion_timelines/index)

**\*\*Reviewing parties, including tenure or promotion committee members - please note all applicable review and appeal dates.\*\***

Additional electronic notification of appropriate tenure timelines will be sent to all current tenure-track faculty by July 1 based on our records at the present time. As new contracts are issued, we will do our best to ensure that the appropriate timeline is given to new tenure-track faculty. However, this responsibility ultimately lies with the chair. On or before the last day of faculty orientation, departmental chairs shall describe to all faculty reporting to them the procedures leading to decisions related to tenure and promotion. That information will refer the candidate/applicant to the criteria for tenure and promotion as stated in the *Memorandum of Agreement Between Fort Hays State University Chapter of American Association of University Professors and Fort Hays State University/Kansas Board of Regents* and will outline the documentation necessary for the tenure and promotion files.

## Discontinuation of NBC Learn

After June 30, 2020, the NBC News Learn database will be discontinued and the service will no longer be available. The Blackboard building block will be removed by Teaching Innovation and Learning Technologies (TILT) and all other links should be removed from course materials.

Note this was **NOT a cancellation** by Forsyth Library, but rather a decision by NBC to retire the service. Some of the original content and resources are freely available on the [NBC News Site](#) or [YouTube Page](#).

If you are looking for other resources, remember Forsyth Library is home to hundreds of research databases for use by faculty, staff, and currently enrolled students. You can locate all available databases through Forsyth Library's [A to Z listing](#). For more information, visit [fhsu.edu/library](http://fhsu.edu/library).

### **New Central Purchasing Warehouse Website Launching in July!**

Effective Monday, July 20<sup>th</sup> Central Purchasing will be launching its new Warehouse website.

Orders will be taken on the current website until Friday, July 17<sup>th</sup> at 11:30 a.m. The new site will require your FHSU username and password for the login credentials and the site is only available to faculty, staff, and student workers using their .se accounts.

All orders that are in process and carts that have not been submitted will be transferred over to the new website.

Once the new site is launched, please delete any bookmarks or shortcuts related to the old website since the Bigcat server will be decommissioned. Any links/shortcuts to the current warehouse site will be obsolete as soon as the new site has been launched. All Central Purchasing Warehouse links that are on various webpages within the FHSU website will be updated.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Central Purchasing Warehouse at [CentralPurchasing@fhsu.edu](mailto:CentralPurchasing@fhsu.edu) or by phone at (785) 628-4239.

### **Employment Opportunity – Senior Administrative Assistant for Financial Aid Application**

The Financial Aid Office is accepting applications for a Senior Administrative Assistant. For a position description, please visit <https://fhsu.wd1.myworkdayjobs.com/CAREERS>. Please contact Vanessa Flipse in the Financial Aid Office with any questions.

### **Academic Affairs Administrative Calendar**

The 2020-2021 Academic Affairs Administrative Calendar is now available on the Office of the Provost site:

[https://www.fhsu.edu/academic/provost/admin\\_calendar/index](https://www.fhsu.edu/academic/provost/admin_calendar/index)

### **Science Café presents: “A Summer Series on Astronomy”**

Presenter Dr. Paul Adams, Dean, College of Education,  
Professor of Physics and Anschutz Professor of Education, Fort Hays State University

Come learn about the night skies with Dr. Adams. He will explain constellations, planets, and star gazing.

Presentations will be released on Wednesdays

Summer Observation 1: See the Stars tonight-How to have fun observing and be a Citizen Scientists!

[https://youtu.be/z4siUGAq\\_KE](https://youtu.be/z4siUGAq_KE)

Summer Observation 2: Getting Started [https://youtu.be/bhVc\\_Ekfjt4](https://youtu.be/bhVc_Ekfjt4)

Summer Observation 3: Hercules, the Northern Crown, and the Spider God

<https://youtu.be/Z769aBycuPc>

Summer Observation 4: Looking for Planets and things that move in the night TBA

Summer Observation 5: Milky Way and my favorite constellation TBA  
Summer Observation 6: Prepping for the Perseid Meteor Shower TBA  
Special LIVE Facebook Event July 13 Science Café presentation Mars 2020 Mission: Perseverance Rover

Please go to these links for more information: <https://www.facebook.com/FHSUScienceCafe/>  
Or <https://www.fhsu.edu/smei/science-cafe/index>

*Sponsored by Science and Mathematics Education Institute*

## **2020-2021 Tuition and Fee Schedule**

The official Tuition and Fees Schedule for Academic Year 2021 is now posted on the FHSU Student Fiscal Services web page at [https://www.fhsu.edu/sfs/students\\_parents/tuition/](https://www.fhsu.edu/sfs/students_parents/tuition/). Please update your web pages, brochures, and forms that provide tuition information and delete all references to past or estimated tuition and fee amounts.

Thank you, and if you have any questions, feel free to contact Student Fiscal Services at (785) 628-5251. You may also contact me at (785) 628-4459.

*May Schumacher, Director*

## **MDC Online Workshop “Supervising Virtually” Still Being Offered On-Demand**

If you weren't able to attend the MDC's previous online workshop "Supervising Virtually," you can now access it on-demand until July 31! This workshop explores the five fundamental supervisory skills through a virtual lens, as well as strategies to adapt to today's unique challenges and circumstances. This workshop is facilitated by Dr. Robert Lloyd and includes engaging activities to better understand effective supervisory concepts.

Registration for this workshop is \$30. Register online at [fhsu.edu/mdc](https://www.fhsu.edu/mdc).

## **FHSU Food and Hunger Initiatives**

The FHSU Food and Hunger Initiatives is proud to offer a “Picnic in a Bag” on Monday, June 29th. Items included in the bag will be hot dogs and buns, a large bag of chips, and a can of baked beans. 15 bags will be available on a first come, first served basis, and we ask that only one bag be taken per person, as each bag will feed a small group.

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## **Clinical Mental Health Counseling Program passes Kansas BSRB**

CONGRATULATIONS to our Counseling Team in the Advanced Education Programs. Their Clinical Mental Health Counseling Program has passed program review through the Kansas BSRB. Way to go! Kudos to Dr. Elliot Isom, Dr. Reade Dowda, Dr. Kenton Olliff, Dr. Sarah Lancaster and Brian Weber.

*Maureen Mindrup*

## Tiger Tots Moving Temporarily

Our Tiger Tots Pre-School Center are temporarily moving to the Hadley Center on 7th Street in Hays. This move is necessary due to remodeling in Rarick Hall on the first floor. Both Sara Stroup, Director and Penny McGinnis, Teacher have worked very hard to get the move done and everything placed and ready to go timely to meet the timeline of their final inspection which is scheduled for July 2nd. Tiger Tots will be housed in this space for the 2020-2021 AY and return to Rarick Hall when renovations are complete. Please take a moment to go see our Tiger Tots new "Temporary" space.

## EVENTS

### What is CliftonStrengths?

Tuesday, June 30; 9:00-9:45am

ONLINE

1 in 33 million. It's an amazing statistic, and one that describes the chances of you having the same 'Top 5' as another person in the entire world. But, what exactly do we mean by 'Top 5'? The Gallup CliftonStrengths personality assessment, used by 90% of Fortune 500 companies, measures your natural patterns of thinking, feeling, and behaving and categorizes your answers into 34 CliftonStrengths themes. Your 'Top 5' are the talents that show up strongest for you! Are you a Futuristic thinker? Or perhaps a person strong in Harmony? Maybe you're a leader with Positivity talents! Your Top 5 represent your greatest potential and by building on the things you're naturally good at, you'll find the most potential for growth. Join the MDC for this mini session to learn more about our most popular training, "CliftonStrengths Essentials," the 34 talents, the Top 5 report, and the difference CliftonStrengths can make in your life.

Register: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/what-is-cliftonstrengths-tickets-104340671758>

### CliftonStrengths Essentials (in person)

Thursday, July 16; 9:00am-4:00pm

Brief Space

219 W. 10<sup>th</sup> Street

*Price:* \$219 (includes access to CliftonStrengths Assessment)

Is it best to spend time utilizing your strengths or is it more productive to work on your weaknesses? Gallup's Strengths theory claims people should spend the majority of their time doing what they do best; using their already existing natural talents to become more productive and profitable in the workplace and at home. In this workshop, we will explore your natural talents and how to turn those talents into strengths, while also learning how to recognize talents in others and utilize them for the success of the team. This workshop requires some pre-work.

Register: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/cliftonstrengths-essentials-tickets-109676703974>

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